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Letter dated 17 July 2002 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1991) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to transmit herewith, for the attention of the members of the Council, a report of the Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1990) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait pursuant to paragraph 6, subparagraph (f), of the guidelines to facilitate full international implementation of paragraphs 24, 25 and 27 of Security Council resolution 687 (1991) (see annex).

The report was approved by the Committee on 17 July 2002.

(Signed) Ole Peter Kolby
Chairman

Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1990)
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Annex**Report of the Committee established by resolution 661 (1990) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait pursuant to paragraph 6, subparagraph (f), of the guidelines to facilitate full international implementation of paragraphs 24, 25 and 27 of Security Council resolution 687 (1991)**

1. The present report is submitted by the Security Council Committee established by resolution 661 (1990) concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait, in accordance with paragraph 6, subparagraph (f) of the guidelines to facilitate full international implementation of paragraphs 24, 25 and 27 of Security Council resolution 687 (1991) of 3 April 1991 (S/22660, annex), which were approved by Security Council resolution 700 (1991) of 17 June 1991.
2. Under paragraph 6, subparagraph (f), of the guidelines, the Committee is required to report at 90-day intervals to the Security Council on the implementation of the arms and related sanctions against Iraq contained in the relevant resolutions of the Security Council. The present report is the forty-fifth of its kind under the above-mentioned guidelines.
3. By paragraph 12 of the guidelines, all States are requested to report to the Committee any information that may have come to their attention relating to possible violations by other States or foreign nationals of the arms and related sanctions against Iraq. As a response to an earlier letter of enquiry from the Committee concerning reports in the German media regarding an alleged Iraqi attempt to develop its programmes of weapons of mass destruction, a written request from India for relevant documentation was received by the Committee. The Committee discussed the matter during the reporting period and decided to ask the Chairman to speak to the Permanent Representative of India to encourage India to approach Germany directly for the needed information. Also during the reporting period, the Committee considered a communication from the United States of America on alleged diversion of trucks by Iraq for military purposes. In a subsequent communication addressed to the Committee, Iraq categorically denied the allegations.
4. By paragraphs 13 and 15 of the guidelines, all States and international organizations are required to consult the Committee on the question of whether certain items fall within the provisions of paragraph 24 of resolution 687 (1991), as well as in cases relating to dual-use or multiple-use items that are meant for civilian use but with potential for diversion or conversion to military use. During the period under review, the Committee has not been consulted by any State or international organization on questions related to dual-use or multi-use items.
5. By paragraph 14 of the guidelines, international organizations are requested to take all appropriate steps to assist in ensuring full compliance with the arms and related sanctions against Iraq, including providing to the Committee any information of this kind that may come to their attention. During the period covered by the present report, no such information has been brought to the attention of the Committee.
6. The Committee will continue its efforts to fulfil the mandate entrusted to it by the Security Council. Since the last report of the Secretary-General, dated 4 December 1991 (S/22884/Add.2), no further communications have been received from Member States pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 700 (1991).

